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Tax decrease discussed

by Becky Collins

The Sutton County Commissioners Court convened Monday, July 9 in regular session to attend to a number of items on their agenda.

Much local controversy has been stirred up over the proposed acquisition of a 36.676 acre tract of land from the Cahill heirs for the relocation of the Sutton County Road Department yard.

That tract of land includes the present site of two trailer parks inside the city limits of Sonora. A petition from the residents of these two trailer parks was circulated among the Court. The families in question in the petition have proposed the purchase of the land as a collective group. They have agreed to pay the County agreed price for the land.

Several other landowners who hold the title to acreage in the area of the Cahill property have expressed concern to the County that the land they purchased from Santa Fe Railroad would be of no use to them as their property would be landlocked when the County builds their new yard. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones and Billy Green, both landowners in that area, approached the County with the problem, stating that they would be willing to sell their separate properties for the same price per acre as the Cahill purchase. The Commissioners Court has agreed upon a \$5,000 per acre price for the Cahill property.

The County Commissioners agreed to table any decision or action on the matter at hand until a complete survey of the acreage was made by Ben Thompson. At that time, the Court will decide on the matter and will then purchase Title insurance.

In the case of the trailer park residents, County Judge Sherill noted that the County could not sell public property to private individuals. The land must be put up for public auction, or a trade of equal value must be made.

Some very good news for Sutton County taxpayers came out of the meeting. The County Commissioners are currently studying the feasibility of a tax decrease for fiscal year 1985. The current tax rate is 30cents on the dollar of evaluation. This rate brings in some 1.6 million in tax revenues annually. The proposed decrease would be to 23 cents on the dollar, a 7 cent decrease. Percentage-wise, that decrease would amount to an 18-20 percent savings for the taxpayer.

Even with the proposed tax rate decrease, the County still projects \$1,383,979 in tax revenues for fiscal year 1985.

County Auditor Charles Graves has been busily compiling budgetary findings for the 1985 fiscal year. He has divided up revenues to be collected as follows: 69 percent for the General Fund out of which the operation and salaries of all of the offices of County government are paid, one percent of the revenues will go into the Interest and Sinking Fund out of which the County pays interest on money borrowed, and 30 percent is tentatively budgeted for use by the Road and Bridge Department.

The Commissioners will make a final decision on the proposed budget in the August regular meeting.

The Sutton County Historical Society met with the Commissioners to finalize agreements to have some plastering, plumbing, and painting done on the old jail. The structure suffered heavy damage during the unusually harsh winter when some water pipes froze

and then burst. The County has already paid to have a new roof put on the structure, and during the meeting agreed to rebudget \$750 for the needed reparations to the building in hope of having all the work completed by the Sutton County Days celebration.

The Commissioners agreed to grant Municipal Judge Judy Martin the authority to order autopsies in the absence of Justice of the Peace Herman Moore.

Freddy Benson and Keith Steffey approached the Court with a proposal to institute a reserve deputies association in Sutton County. The persons participating in the program would be required to undergo 72 hours of classroom study and to be licensed by the state of Texas. In presenting the proposal to the Commissioners, Benson noted that at present there were fifteen men interested in volunteering for the program. The reserve deputies would assist the Sheriff's Office in crowd control situations during the various public events held in the county including Sutton County Days and the annual Hoot N Holler.

The Commissioners tabled decision on the matter until they had more information on the program.

Eleven sponsors for queens told

Linda Love, chairperson for the Sutton County Days Queen Contest, has announced that 11 businesses and organizations have committed themselves to sponsor a queen candidate for the contest that will be held during Sutton County Days August 23, 24, and 25.

Among those businesses and clubs are the Los Amigos Club, Robert Brown's Hurry-Up, First National Bank, Sutton County National Bank, San Angelo Savings and Loan, Sutton County Historical Society, Sonora Ford Sales, Downtown Lions Club, Spain's Department Store, the Ladies Golf Auxiliary, and The Devil's River News.

Ms. Love stated that if any business or non-profit organization would like to sponsor a queen candidate, a representative should contact her prior to Friday, July 13 at noon.

Again, as with the contest last year, the girls will be selling tickets to the rodeo and the top five selling will be in the finals for Miss Sutton County. From those five, the queen will be selected by three out-of-town judges. The young ladies will be judged on poise, personality, and appearance.

The winner will then represent Sutton County at all functions throughout the following year.

Last year's queen Lee Ann Sims, will do the crowning with a tiara that has been donated by Tedford Jewelry of Sonora.

Contestants will appear on the Pat Attebury Show in August, closer to the time for Sutton County Days.

Ms. Love and Marilyn McEwen will be sponsoring a "Coke" party for the contestants at the Sutton County Steak House Thursday, July 26 at 7 p.m. Contestants' mothers are urged to accompany the girls to the party so that rules may be outlined for them.

At the party, rodeo tickets will be distributed and the sales will begin August 1.



Folklife Festival set

Texas is a child of two worlds, old and new, and the best of both.

It was as if East did indeed meet West, they married, and from their union the Texas legacy was born, the wealth of which far surpasses popular images of 10-gallon hats and rhinestone cowboys, hard hats and oil barons.

This legacy of the true Texas, the one created over generations, is brought to life at the Texas Folklife Festival, August 2-5, sponsored by the University of Texas Institute of Texan Cultures of San Antonio.

At the Festival, nearly 6,000 participants from across the state represent the more than 30 ethnic groups who settled and built Texas. They come to share with more than 100,000 visitors the hallmarks and keepsakes of their culture: artifacts and arts and crafts; traditional tunes and folk dances; "Vittles" and haute cuisine; tall tales and true stories.

Having fun at the Festival is easy and visitors are encouraged to do so, but the event is more than "festive," and its mission more than merriment. In the tradition of festivals of old, the Texas Folklife Festival has a broader significance.

An extension of the Institute's educational programs, the Festival pays tribute to the courage and resourcefulness of our Texas ancestors, who left the security of a world entirely familiar to start a new life in one completely foreign.

Each of the ethnic and cultural groups brings to the Festival a bit of what their ancestors struggled to recreate on the Texas frontier -- home, as it was in the old country. For example, the high-arched facades on which are painted elegant Middle Eastern motifs herald the Lebanese area; the cozy establishment with the Tudor trim is the handiwork of the proprietors of the British Pub; and the graceful windmill and white washed island skyline draw visitors to the Greek booth.

The International menu, which includes both exotic and downhome dishes, attests to the culinary creativity of people all over the world. Visitors may try Jewish falafel (pita bread with stuffing), Spanish gambas al ajillo (shrimp in garlic), Irish stew, Mexican favorites, sausage, egg rolls, shish-ka-bobs, breads of every kind, and much more.

Festival performers aim to do more than entertain. Representing nearly every corner of the globe and all kinds of music, they turn the Festival's 10 stages into a whirl of excitement and a colorful exhibition of culture and tradition.

Explanations of the history and significance of various songs and dances are an important part of the program, and many groups invite visitors to dance or sing along. For instance, the Filipino dancers, known for their exquisite costumes and choreography, encourage visitors to attempt the intricate and spirited tinikling dance, performed by stepping in and out of two bamboo poles as they are beat together in time with the music.

Though most people can only imagine what life was like across the ocean hundreds of years ago, much of the rustic, frontier lifestyle of early Texas endures in rural areas throughout the state and in our memories. In the "Black 40" area of the Festival, recollections of life in the country and living off the land come readily and vividly to mind.

The smell of smoke, grass and hay; the sight of gingham and sunbonnets, cotton overalls and straw

Clean-up slated Saturday, July 28

The Industrial Clean-Up Committee has been active getting everything in order for the July 28th clean-up day.

The meeting will take place in the early morning at the courthouse lawn, at which time a chairperson or director of each of the four precincts will be on hand to direct the clean up job.

Everyone wishing trash hauled off, must contact the chairman, the name will be given at a later date, as to where the pickup site will be, which should be convenient for a truck to reach.

Several businesses will be furnishing trucks, also the City and County will furnish vehicles for this occasion. This is an endeavor of the Industrial Committee to help with the Clean-Up Sonora Program and certainly wants the support of all persons needing this type of service.

Don Cooper is Chairman of this committee, and he along with the committee people need your cooperation. A watermelon feast will follow Saturday afternoon.

Baker named president

Frank K. Baker, publisher of The Fort Stockton Pioneer since 1971, was elected president of the Texas Press Association (TPA) during the newspaper organization's 105th annual summer convention.

The convention was held from June 21 through 23 at the Marriott Hotel in Corpus Christi.

Baker replaces John Crawford, former publisher of the Wood County Democrat.

Baker, 50, a second-generation newspaperman, is the second member of his family to serve as TPA president. His father, George Baker, previously served as president during the 1962-63 year. The subsequent Baker election marks the first time in TPA history for a son of a past president to also become president of TPA, the state association of some 540 newspapers.

Born in San Angelo on May 12, 1934, Baker's parents were in the transition of a move from Sonora to Fort Stockton at the time. His father, George, had published the Devil's River News in Sonora from 1931 until 1934. He later purchased the Fort Stockton Pioneer on March 1, 1934.

Frank was the first child in the George Baker family, but he was later joined by four brothers and two sisters. The new TPA president grew up in Fort Stockton, graduating from high school there in 1952. In high

school he played in the band, and participated in dramatics and debate.

Baker enrolled in The University of Texas in the summer of 1952, graduating in May, 1956 with a bachelor of journalism degree. Baker also attended Texas Western College (now UT-El Paso) and Sul Ross State University in Alpine during his college years.

He married the former Mary Lea Castleberry, a Longview girl he'd met as a University of Texas freshman on August 27, 1955.

Mrs. Baker earned her University of Texas degree in interior design on August 27, 1955.

Following his graduation, Baker became editor and advertising manager of The Llano News, a weekly newspaper of four full-time employees at that time in June 1956.

Five months later, in November, 1956, he was drafted into the U.S. Army. He later served in Germany as a radio repairman and member of the Combat Command "B" military band as a trombone player.

Following his release from the Army in November, 1958, Baker was employed as advertising manager of The Fort Stockton Pioneer. He later purchased a

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"Rojo", 1983 NFR Bucking Horse of the year—see related story page three.

Park parallel in new places

BY BECKY COLLINS

Parking in downtown Sonora has long posed problems for merchants and consumers alike. Because many downtown merchants feel that parking is a "premium", as Westerman Drug's Ronnie Cox has stated, we felt that making our readers aware of the new parking ordinance was of utmost importance.

The Sonora City Council, in dealing with the problems of narrow streets, erratic parking by downtown customers, and the hazards imposed there in decided to re-mark all parking areas to comply with state law.

According to city manager Jim Dover, the law requires a 20 foot clearance around all corners. In order to compromise, the council agree on a 15 foot clearance around the corners in the critical parking areas of the downtown business district.

As noted on the map of the downtown area, the biggest change for Sonorans is the designation of parallel parking on the Main Street side of Westerman Drug.

City crews were busy marking those parking spaces Monday and when Tuesday morning came, the paint was dry, and Sonorans parked diagonally, of course, as they had for generations outside Westerman's.

Sonora Police Chief Brent Gesch, in order to inform the public of the new parking designations, brought a map of the downtown parking areas by the Devil's River News.

He noted that city police would give Sonorans a grace

Community Calendar

Wednesday, July 11
 8:30 - 11:30 a.m. Red Cross WSI course begins at public pool.
 7:30 p.m. Firemen at firehall

Friday, July 13
 Deadline for entries in Queen contest. Contact Linda Love for information.

Saturday, July 14
 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. Car Wash First Unit Methodist Church parking lot.
 2:00 p.m. West Texas Masters Track Meet at Ozona Lions Stadium

Sunday, July 15
 attend the church of your choice.

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Local boys to attend camp

A week of camping fun is planned for five Sonora boys at The Salvation Army's big summer camp near Midlothian, Texas.

The youngsters will attend from July 16 to July 20, according to Jan Davis, The Salvation Army Service Unit Camp Chairman for Sonora.

Selected for Camp Hoblitzelle this summer are: Pete Romero Jr., Julian Lee Romero, Enrique Gandar Jr., Joey Dunlap, and Daniel Dunlap.

The campers will join nearly 700 others from across Texas. Each boy's trip is financed by private donations to The Salvation Army Service Unit committees in his city.

"Camp Hoblitzelle is built on 360 acres in wooded country surrounding a 27-acre lake, and is comparable in facilities to the most expensive summer camps," Ms. Davis said.

"They enjoy boating, hiking, archery, horseback riding, fishing, swimming, sports, and crafts, as well as worship service and Bible study."

The boys will sleep in modern brick and redwood cabins. But on one night they will rough it at Fort Tejas, which is built of logs like old-time western forts that attracted travelers from the wrath of the Comanches.

A total of over 4,000 people participate in a variety of camping sessions during an average summer at Camp Hoblitzelle, each session lasting from a few days to a week or more. Two weeks are reserved for boys from Service Unit cities throughout Texas.

Once-backers change sides

Two key leaders of the Kent Hance and Bob Krueger campaigns for the U.S. Senate have assumed leadership roles in support of U.S. Rep. Phil Gramm's campaign. Gramm has announced.

Gramm said Walter Mischer Sr. of Houston, chairman of the board of Allied Bancshares and the statewide finance chairman for U.S. Rep. Kent Hance, will serve as finance chairman of the Phil Gramm campaign.

Also, L.D. Brinkman, the Texas finance chairman for former U.S. Rep. Bob Krueger's two races for the Senate in 1978 and 1984, has agreed to become statewide finance chairman of the newly formed Democrats and Independents for Phil Gramm, he said.

"I am deeply gratified that Mr. Mischer and Mr. Brinkman have not only joined our campaign efforts, but have assumed leadership roles in that effort," Congressman Gramm said in making the announcement.

PBPA energy report

In talking with folks on the street, we hear reports of business in the oil patch looking up more every day. There are still rough spots, with service and drilling company rates dangerously low. Even there the improvement in seismograph and well-servicing numbers are beginning to slowly shape up. The drilling rig count had dropped some 7 percent in the last three weeks, but still 50 percent ahead of last year at this time.

One problem, overlooked in all the excitement of the mergers, is duplication of jobs. In many cases, it is being solved, by offering those over 55 early retirement, transferring to a new location or quit. To some, this is no choice after 25-30-35 years with a company in the same location but at least, it is a choice.

In Congress, we fared somewhat better on the Tax Bill than we had anticipated. Thanks to the return of the percentage depletion provision to enhance secondary and tertiary recovery projects; freezing the Windfall Profits Excise Tax at 22 1/2 percent,

rather than the proposed 25 percent and keeping the Tauke-Sharp, or Sharp-Madigan, Bills off the Rules Committee calendar, it is possible that a Natural Gas Reregulation bill will not be considered during the balance of the session.

There had been a concerted effort of the AFL-CIO: United Auto workers; International Association of Machinists; the National Education Association and some 10 other varied

groups to get a natural gas bill passed this session. One thing we noted, in their letter to Claude Pepper, Chairman, Committee on Rules, we quote, "Over the past several years, gas prices have continued to rise, despite a major oversupply that, in a competitive market, would have brought prices down." That's our argument exactly -- let the market place set the price and down the prices will

come. The Permian Basin rig count for this week is 323. Last week 329 and one year ago 208.

Carrie Craddock honored by NCA

by Gwen Kordzik

Carrie Craddock was one of four finalists at NCA Cheerleading Camp at Howard County College in Big Spring June 18-21.

The National Cheerleaders Association recognized her as one of the outstanding participants in the 1984 summer program. We salute you on this achievement! As an NCA All-American finalist, you are being recognized for your excellence as a cheerleader and your leadership as a member of your squad.

Finalists are selected after being observed performing cheers, jumps, stunts, dance routines, and in workshops with their squads.

We congratulate you on this honor and know that you will uphold the NCA tradition of excellence as a member of your squad this year.

SHS students attend seminar

Three outstanding members of the student body of Sonora High School are attending a week-long National Leadership Training Center seminar at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth this week. They are Patsy Perez, president of the Student Council for 1984-85, Carrie Sorenson, drum major and member of the National Honor Society, and Mario Sotelo, Jr., vice-president of the National Honor Society for the coming school year.

Students from Texas and surrounding states are attending the workshop to become more effective leaders by increasing their skills in self-understanding and confidence and by fostering a better understanding of the skills involved in leadership, problem solving, communications and organization.

The local students were selected on the basis of their leadership positions in the student body, their academic achievement, and their potential as leaders in the community in the future.

Youth carwash set

The youth of First United Methodist Church will have a car wash this Saturday, July 14th, from 9-1 on the church parking lot. This is a fund raising event for the annual youth trip to Padre Island.

The parking lot is in the 200 block of NW Water, across from the church house. The public is invited. A complete wash, vacuum, and window cleaning is \$5 per car.

Adult swimming classes set

Swimming classes for adult "splashers" and "paddlers" have been planned by Melissa Teaff and Claudia Dempsey.

These classes are aimed at easing those tensions of adult swimmers who feel queasy every time they are around water. There will be a class for "Splashers", (beginners), and for "Paddlers", (swimmers).

Registration for the classes has already begun. To register for the classes, the prospective swimmer should contact Melissa Teaff at 387-2773 or Claudia Dempsey at 387-5377.

Classes will be held at the public pool. Cost of the classes is \$25 per participant.

Classes are limited, so call and register now and make those queasies just a little easier to bear.

ICA meeting held

The Independent Cattlemen's Association held its monthly business meeting and breakfast at the Sutton County Steak House Thursday morning, July 5 at 7 am.

The next meeting will be held August 2 at the Steak House at 7 am.

All members are urged to attend these monthly meetings.

Los Amigos plan SCD booth

The Los Amigos Club held their monthly meeting at the Sutton County National Bank meeting room. Hosted by Delia and Linda Samaniego, members of the club were treated to a delicious dinner of barbecued chicken, baked potatoes, and congealed salad.

Plans were finalized for the Sutton County Days food booth. Fajita tacos and tea are going to be sold. Upcoming events were also discussed and final plans will be made at the next meeting.

Those attending the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hernandez, Mr. and Mrs. Ramiro Perez, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gallegos, Jr., Maura Weingart, Pete Samaniego, and Irene Dominguez.

Exams set for Nursing course

Pre-entrance exams for the vocational nursing and paramedics programs at Texas State Technical Institute in Sweetwater will be given in July on the TSTI campus.

The vocational nursing exam is set for July 5 and 12 at 9 a.m. in room 217 of the D.A. Pevehouse Technology Center. The paramedics exam will be given at 6:30 p.m. July 20 and at 9 a.m. July 21 in room 229 of the Pevehouse Center.

To enter the paramedics program, applicants must be registered emergency medical technicians or be currently enrolled in an EMT program which will be completed by August 31.

Applicants for the vocational nursing program must be at least 17 years old and have a high school diploma or a GED. Applicants for both programs must complete an interview with the program chairman before being admitted.

The cost for the paramedics exam is \$4, and the fee for the nursing test is \$15, payable by check or money order. No cash will be accepted.

For further information, contact the public information offices at TSTI-Sweetwater.

Locals attend conference

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Teaff, Mr. and Mrs. Gene West and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Olenick, members of the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department, attended the 108th annual conference convention of the State Firemen's and Fire Marshals' Association June 16-20 in McAllen.

Congressman Phil Gramm of College Station, the Republican nominee for

the U.S. Senate in the November elections, was keynote speaker. Corinne Broderick, public education manager for the National Fire Protection Association in Quincy, Ma., also addressed the convention.

The conference/convention, which this year drew approximately 2,000 firefighters and their guests, provides an opportunity each year for paid and volunteer firefighters to get together for business meetings, a memorial service, training sessions, and a trade show of state-of-the-art fire equipment and apparatus.

The State Firemen's and Fire Marshals' Association of Texas is a statewide association of both paid and volunteer firefighters which conducts a volunteer certification program, publishes a monthly magazine, sponsors the annual municipal fire training school at Texas A and M, and represents the estimated 40,000 members of the fire service in Texas before the Texas Legislature.

The Sonora Volunteer Fire Department responded to one grass fire this week at the J and V Mobile Home Park. The cause of the fire was firecrackers.

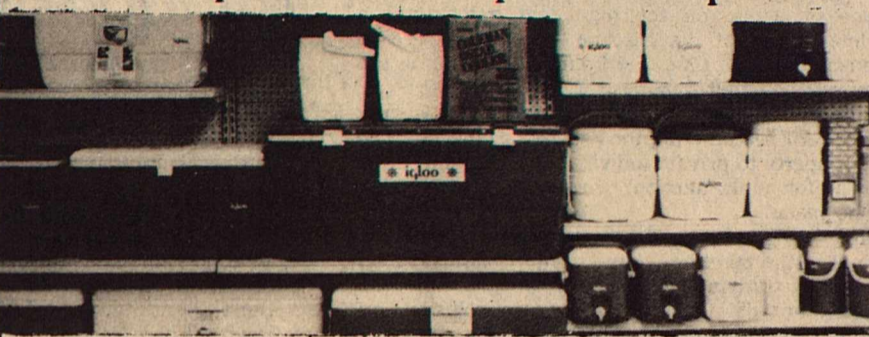
Hill's Bridal Registry

Shelly Hofacket, bride-elect of Savell Shannon
 Kelly Ward, bride-elect of Raphael Holder
 Mrs. Reuben Lira, nee Nina Mata
 Jana Harris bride-elect of Lyndon Bradley Johnson
 Joana Phillips, bride-elect of Randy Wuest
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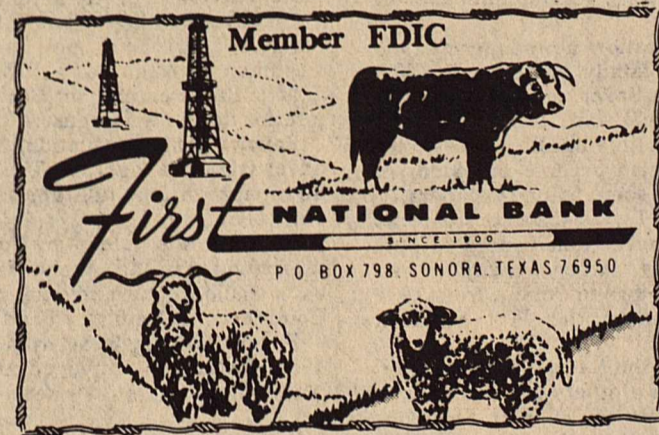
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FUND	BEGINNING BALANCE	RECEIPTS	TRANSFER IN	DISBURSEMENTS	TRANSFERRED OUT	BALANCE
Road & Bridge	924,299.80	125,650.76		151,790.67		898,159.89
General	2,197,656.33	190,659.84		377,865.94	4,500.00	2,005,950.23
F. M. & L. Road						
Road & Bridge Special						
Flood Control	9,691.53		2,000.00			11,691.53
Law Library	11,619.731	135.00		676.65		338.62
Interest & Sinking, 19	102,627.89	3,041.89	2,500.00	27,585.00		78,084.78
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Lateral Road	17,364.46	-0-		17,364.46		-0-
Revenue Sharing	73,274.85	25,384.34		15,688.60		82,970.59
State Trust	6,150.10	9,380.25		9,460.80		6,069.55
County Attorney Trust	67.31	-0-				67.31
Payroll Fund	3,002.21		238,768.55		238,765.89	3,004.87
						2,086,337.37
Checking - Operating						73,512.29
Checking - Revenue Sharing						2,566.51
Checking - Interest & Sinking						2,840.66
Money Market Plus Accounts		(Revenue Sharing 80,404.08)		(Interest & Sinking 75,244.12)		2,007,417.91
		(County of Sutton 1,851,769.71)				2,086,337.37
TOTAL						

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Bad Company Rodeo stock bucks best

Bad Company Rodeo, after a Dynamite debut in 1983, will again be furnishing stock at the Sutton County Days PRCA rodeo August 24, 25 and 26.

Now in its third year of Professional rodeo Cowboy Association Affiliation, Bad Company had made quite an impression on the rodeo industry. In 1982 seven Bad Company buckers (3 horses and 4 bulls) were selected for competition at the National Finals Rodeo in Oklahoma City -- the "World Series" of Rodeo. Bad Company's "Rojo" was recognized as the Lone Star Circuits Bucking Horse of the Year, while "Velvet Outlaw," one of the company's best, was named Reserve Bull of the Year. In 1983 Bad Company had five buckers (2 horses and 3 bulls) in the National Finals Rodeo. Bad Company's "Mile High" was recognized as Most Outstanding Bucking Bull of the Year.

Bad Company Rodeo was formed by Mack Altizer, son of World champion calf and steer roper Jim Bob Altizer. The Del Rio native now headquarters in Sonora, Sutton County, Texas. At 27, Mack is currently the youngest stock contractor in the PRCA.

Altizer is an eight-year PRCA contestant. He has also served as president of the American Junior Rodeo Assn. and the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association. The young stock contractor still regularly competes in calf, team, and single steer roping. His sister, Sherry Altizer, set the arena record in barrel racing at the 1982 National Finals Rodeo.

With so much accomplishments in such short time, Bad Company is becoming known as one of the best stock contracting firms in Professional Rodeo.

During the past century, rodeo has developed from a casual contest into a highly organized national sport. Beginning with the 1979 rodeo season the PRCA, in conjunction with John Blair and Company, embarked on year-round prime-time television coverage of professional rodeo. A new division of the company, Blair Pro-Rodeo Enterprises, was created to handle the undertaking.

Today, rodeo attracts nearly 10 million fans annually, but unlike all other sports these fans are not limited to big city dwellers. In many small towns and rural areas, rodeo is the only sport the residents can see on a professional level.

Professional rodeo has the unique quality of featuring not only cowboy athletes, but yet another athlete that possesses literally inhuman ability. The animals of rodeo are at least 50 percent of the game, and many cowboys feel they play an even greater role.

What makes a bronc or a bull a good bucking animal?

It is as natural for the animal to buck as for the cowboy to yearn to ride him. Only those animals who enjoy it will continue to buck consistently year after year.

It is common for bucking horses to live and perform into their 20's. The notorious "Yellow Jackets" of the Jim Sutton string bucked off an even greater number. Pro rodeo animals work an average of three minutes total time per year. It is not every animal that can become a veteran bucking horse or bull, but for those that can make it, it is one of the best lives possible.

One of the main reasons for the tremendous growth of PRCA rodeo over the last decade has been the strong financial support of several major corporate sponsors. These investors are handled through PRCA Properties, the marketing service subsidiary of the PRCA. In 1972 R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Co. became the first large contributor to pro rodeo, by instituting the Winston Rodeo Awards.

Soon after the initial program, Winston began providing several scoreboards that moved around the country to various rodeos. In 1979 the Winston bonus money reached \$175,000, while additional contributions for publicity and other uses brought the total to nearly \$1 million. Since that time Frontier Airlines, Wrangler Western Wear, Justin Boots, Resistol Hats, Rodeo America, Dodge Trucks, Hesston and Coors Beer have joined the field.

The rodeo cowboy was, and still is, the original American Athlete. He must be physically able to take a tremendous amount of both physical and mental pressure to compete in the pro rodeo circuit. Today's rodeo has changed drastically from its origins as a Saturday afternoon get-together of local cowboys. Rodeo is big business; entry fees, gasoline, plane fare, motel bills, meals, doctor and hospital bills are all well out of reach of the rodeo cowboy who doesn't take today's rodeo seriously.

Class of '74 reunion set

The Class of 1974 will be having its 10-year reunion during Sutton County Days August 24 and 25.

Any addresses of class members need to be given to Ruthie Bounds at 387-5189 or 387-2409 or mailed to Ruthie, 1006 SE Concho Ave. Sonora, Texas.

COG to sponsor seminar

A one-day workshop offering leadership training for leaders of physical fitness activities for senior adults is scheduled for Tuesday, July 17, in the San Angelo Convention Center.

Among clinicians for the workshop is Dr. Garland O'Quinn of Austin, former Olympic gymnast, who will present an afternoon session.

Other presenters are Nancy Barton, program director for older adults of the Dallas YMCA and Febe Garcia of Wichita Falls.

A.A. "Sonny" Rooker, executive director of the Governor's Commission of Physical Fitness, is coordinator.

The workshop is sponsored by the San Angelo Recreation Department and the Concho Valley Council of Governments Area Agency on Aging. It is coordinated with the Texas Department on Aging, Texas Nursing Home Association, Texas Physical Fitness Educational Found-

ation and the Texas Department of Health.

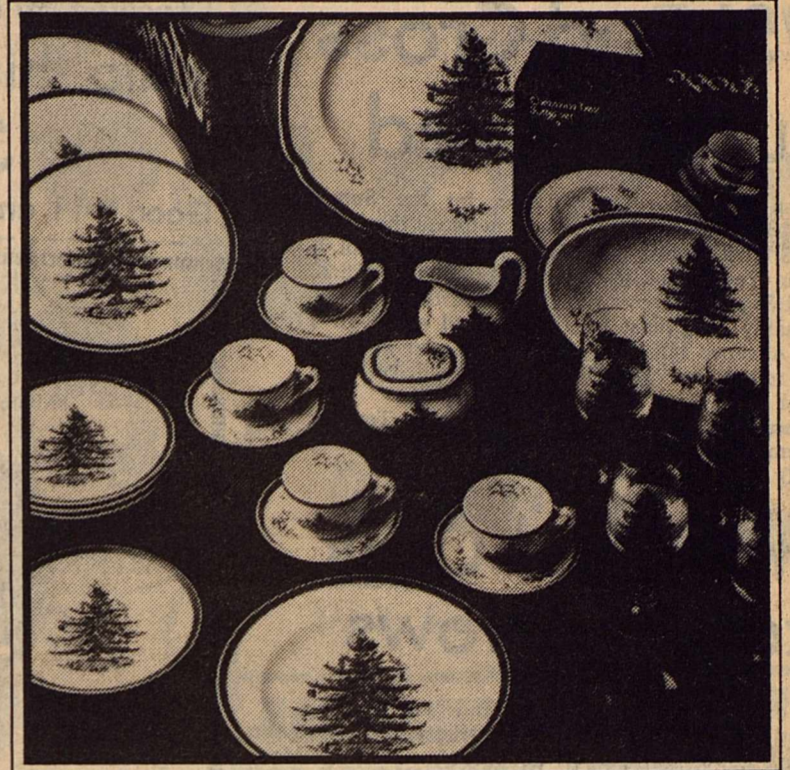
Registration for the workshop is free. However, prospective participants are requested to pre-register so that sufficient materials will be available. Registration forms are available at the CVOG from the Aging Services Department.

Weather Watch

DATE	HIGH	LOW
2	99	67
3	96	69
4	98	70
5	98	71
6	101	68
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The West Texas Track Meet will be held on July 14 at the Ozona Lions Stadium in Ozona, Texas. This meet is one of many throughout Texas that is now on the Texas circuit of Masters Track Meets. The West Texas Masters is the only meet that solely benefits some young person in West Texas who is suffering from a tragic accident or disease.

The Ozona Lions Stadium supports a large area for running and field events. All running areas and approaches are made of all weather material, featuring faster times. Porta-Pits are provided for the high jump and pole vaulting. A luscious stand of green grass covers all throwing areas.

This annual event was the largest meet in the 1983 Texas circuit with over 167 participants, excluding the Texas State Masters held in Dallas, Texas. The West Texas Masters Meet will have men and women participate from areas throughout Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Arkansas, and Louisiana. For added attractions, we have added a 10 kilometer cross country run and a team earning the most points in the 1984 West Texas Masters Track Meet.

Meet records are expected to fall this year, as several world record holders will attend this year. Dr. Fred White of Duncanville, Texas, who holds records in the 400 meter and 100 meter dashes, and the triple jump. Dr. White also won first place in the 400 meter and second place in the triple jump at the international Masters Meet in San Juan, Puerto Rico. Mr. Swooze Alexander, from McCamey, Texas, holds a world record in 400 meters in the 55-60 year age group. Mr. Wendell Palmer, from Pampa, Texas, just recently broke the current world record in the discus, with a

throw of 168 feet and 6 1/4 inches (50-55 year age group). Also many more outstanding athletes, young and old, will come, in an attempt to capture new records.

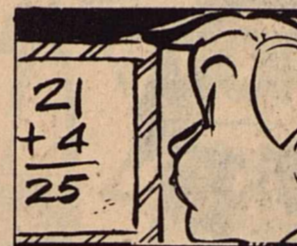
The mens events will consist of twenty field and running events with ten age divisions. The women will have three age divisions in five events. Handsome medals will be awarded for first, second and third places in all events and all divisions. Entry fees will be \$5.00 for the first event and \$1.00 for each additional event (enter as many events as you wish). All field events will begin promptly at 2:00 p.m. with the running events beginning at the completion of all field events. The 10 k run begins at 9 a.m. Saturday.

A concession stand will be open all day for your convenience. All proceeds this year will go to Ruben Mendez, Jr., a seven year old boy who has been crippled since the age of eighteen months. A fund has been set up in his behalf at the Crockett County National Bank, in Ozona, by the West Texas Masters. There will be no admission at the gate.

Entry blanks are available locally at the Devil's River News office, Gibson's, the Chamber of Commerce office, and Pearl's Pizzeria.

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Dressed in the utilitarian, subtly colored garb of Texas settlers, participants eagerly share their knowledge and skills. One group, the Cisco Civic League, makes "hoecakes" -- corn patties cooked on the blade of a hoe -- and invites visitors to try their hand at it and taste the results. Other demonstrations include brewing a kettle of lye soap, making rush lights, throwing clay pots on a wheel, whittling, spinning and bobbin lacing, to name a few.

Replicas of buildings essential to survival on the frontier are scattered throughout the "Back 40." At the smokehouse visitors learn methods of preservation first used by the American Indian and sample smoked venison, cured jerky, prickly pear apples, hickory nuts and acorns.

When the schoolmaster rings the bell outside the one-room schoolhouse, visitors know that recess is over and lessons are about to commence. Inside, adults as well as children sit in straight-back wooden pews and practice the three R's on slates.

As illustrated by the Festival, no matter how modern we become those who came before will always be part of us. The many groups who founded the Lone Star State have handed down their cultural heirlooms -- arts, crafts, music, dance and food -- over many generations, and they are a priceless part of the Texas legacy. The

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WSI Red Cross course slated

Melissa Teaff, instructor trainer for the Sutton County American Red Cross, has announced there will be a W.S.I. course offered at the Sonora Public Pool. It will begin Wednesday, July 11 during the hours of 8:30 p.m. - 11:30 p.m. and continue through Friday, July 21.

To qualify, you must be 17 years old and hold a current Advance Lifesaving card. That card must be brought to the first class. The only cost will be books and pool fee.

If interested, you must register with Mrs. Teaff or Mrs. Dempsey by Monday July 9. Call Mrs. Teaff at 387-2773 or Mrs. Dempsey at 387-5377.

Peters and Cook exchange vows

Wanda Peters and Midland. A reception followed the ceremony in Mrs. Chatham's home.

Winifred Cook exchanged wedding vows Saturday, June 30 in the home of the bride's daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Chatham of Sonora.

The wedding, which took place at 2 p.m., was officiated by Gale Reeves, pastor of the Calvary Assembly of God Church in

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Powell of Alamogordo, New Mexico attended their daughter's wedding. Also attending were a sister and brother of the bride.

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Romans 13:1-7

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vs 2. If there is a law that we do not like we must seek a lawful way to remove it. No one is given the privilege to rebel against a law or government they are not satisfied with. If we resist or rebel against authority we also rebel against God and this brings about condemnation from God. Speak to those in position to help, sign petitions, write letters, organize friends to help but never revolt.

vs 3. We should never fear our rulers, and as we do good by living in the boundaries of the laws of our land we will gain their respect. In showing authorities that we respect their authority then we shall receive their praise in return.

vs 4. The rulers of our land are ministers of God and must be allowed to perform their duties to the best of their ability. Therefore, for those who decide to do evil there will always be reason for fear for they will feel the wrath of authority.

vs 5. It is necessary for us to live within the law of the land for our own conscience sake. As long as we are

obedient to these laws we have nothing to fear nor to worry about therefore we shall be happy in all things.

vs 6. This is the reason we pay taxes, to support our government on all levels. Men and women have made this a way of life to make and keep us free, both nationally and locally. In their work they are the servants of God.

vs 7. Let us now pay our respects for all people in their positions. Pay our taxes for their support, fear wrath when we fail to do good, and honor to whom honor is due.

Let us all give thanks first of all to God who has made us a free nation. Then let us recognize and honor all public servants in their positions:

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 Volunteers in all areas

If you have a complaint please don't rebel but seek ways to correct what you think is wrong, that are respected and peaceable. If you do not succeed in making any changes then learn to live with those things you cannot change. There is only one law written that cannot be changed and that is God's law, the Bible. Let us all strive to be in subjection to the law of God and always remember that this includes the law of our land.

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Place lamb cubes in glass casserole dish. Combine marinade ingredients; pour over cubes. Cover; refrigerate overnight. Alternately skewer lamb cubes and vegetables, three cubes of meat per kabob; top with cherry tomato. Grill 4 to 6 inches from source of heat 8 to 10 minutes or until desired degree of doneness. Turn frequently; baste often with marinade.

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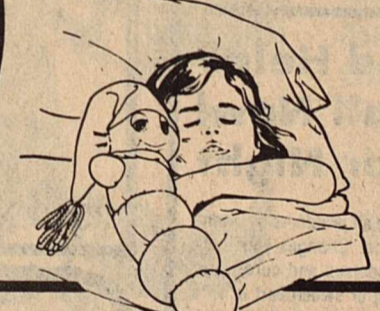
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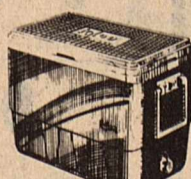
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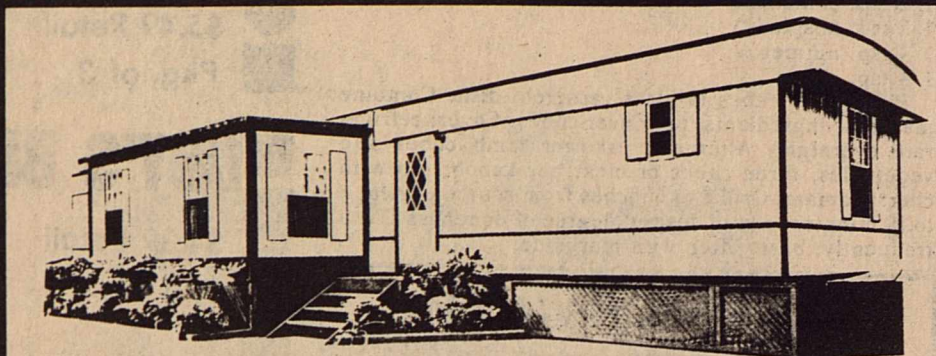
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Around Town

BY HAZEL McCLELLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cusenbary have returned from a trip to Jamaica.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McClelland and Carra have returned to Denver Colorado after spending a week with his mother, Mrs. Hazel McClelland.

Buster Jennings is out of the hospital and feeling better.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wuest were honored with a yard party June 30 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shannon. Hosts and hostesses were Mr. and Mrs. Clay Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Dillard, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Teaff, Mrs. Mary Jean Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Corky Schweining, Mrs. Elsie Schweining, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Green, Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kerbow, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shannon. About 50 guests were present.

Joe Thomas from San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Thomas of San Antonio were here Saturday

visiting with Mrs. Metha Trainer and Hazel McClelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny McClelland, Trey and Jessa of Houston, and Mrs. Jan McClelland Glasscock and J. of El Paso were here over the weekend visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McClelland.

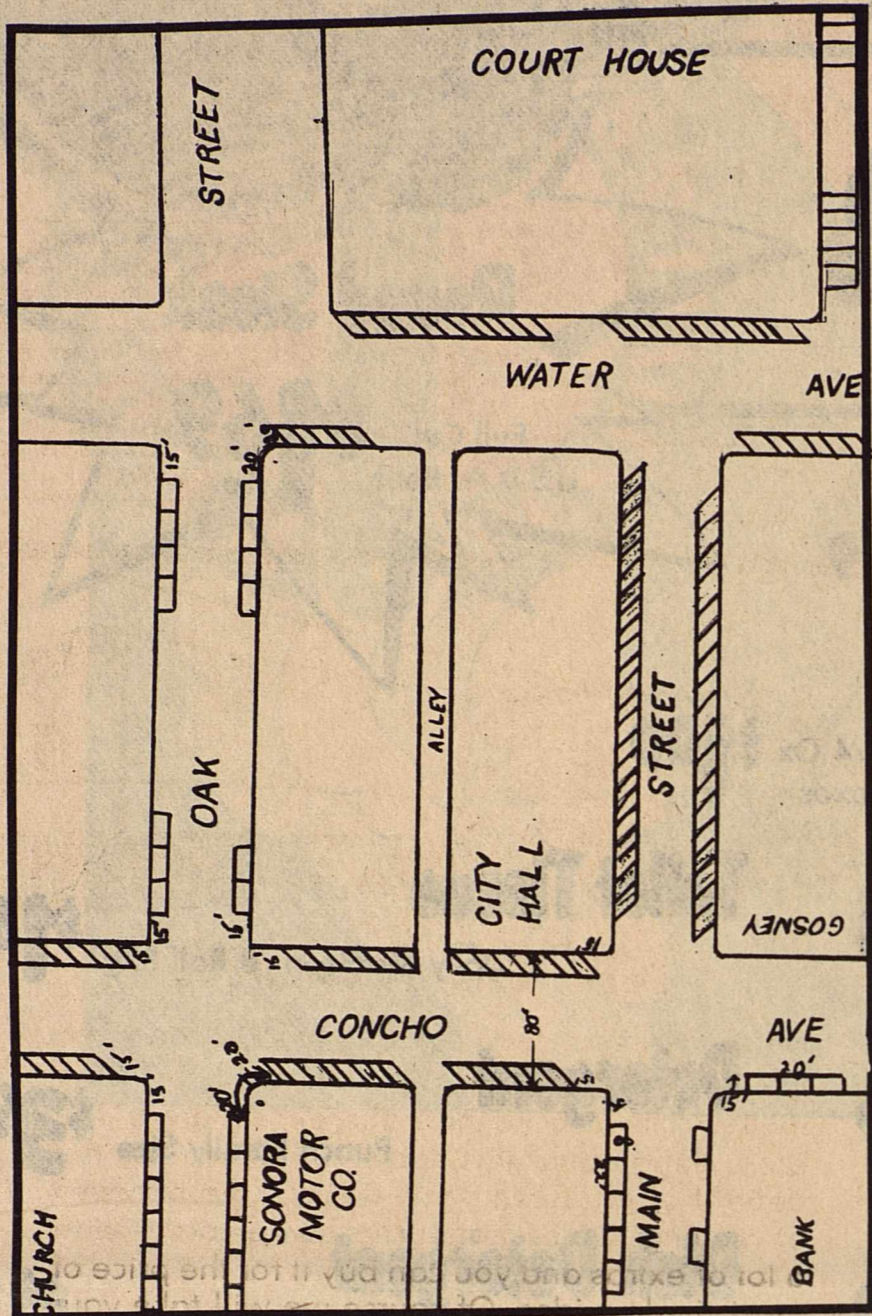
Have you seen Tommy and Carol Love's house? It is beautiful--go see it.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Savell have returned from the Big Bend National Park where they helped sponsor a Baptist Church youth group.

Fred Adkins has returned from a tour of the Worlds Fair in New Orleans.

Visiting Mrs. Gwen Wardlaw over the weekend were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stallworth and Susanne, and Mrs. Leah McLardy of Houston.

Mrs. Anne Mae of Midland was here visiting friends & family several days last week.



March RRC report given

Railroad Commission chairman Mack Wallace has announced that 58 refineries in Texas processed 132,479,714 barrels of crude oil and hydrocarbon blends during March.

The March volume compares to 129,532,853 barrels in February and 125,509,426 barrels in March 1983.

Texas refineries ran 102,640,237 barrels of crude oil in March, compared to 100,507,368 barrels in February and 98,403,393 barrels in March 1983.

Products manufactured in March totaled 125,220,329 barrels in March 1983.

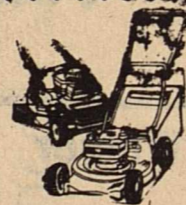
March manufacture of motor gasoline totaled 56,079,996 barrels, compared to 53,530,685 barrels in February and 50,689,741 barrels, in March 1983.

Texas refineries manufactured 6,706,674 barrels of home heating oil in March -- a decrease of 5,409,916 barrels from the February volume. March 1983 output was 8,139,375 barrels.



The word ye, in such expressions as "Ye Olde Shoppe," is pronounced like the word the. The letter y in Anglo-Saxon indicated the same th sound as apparent in the current spelling.

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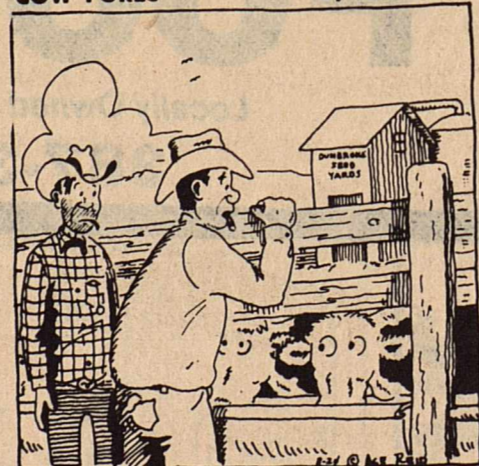
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one-fourth interest in The Pioneer in 1961, increasing that interest to one-half the capital stock in 1965.

Baker's father was later elected to the Texas Legislature, and he subsequently bought the remaining stock from his parents January 1, 1971.

He has since sold minority stock interests in The Pioneer to associate publisher Phil Chamberlin and managing editor Glen Larum.

Baker and his father had already converted The Pioneer to offset printing in 1966 and the newspaper was changed from weekly to semi-weekly frequency in January, 1968. The Pioneer was 75 years old in 1983. It has been a property of the Baker family for the past 50 years.

Baker served as president of the West Texas Press Association in 1972-73. He's been a member of the TPA board since the early 1970's. One of the biggest thrills for Baker and his staff was the sweepstakes award won by the paper in the 1981 TPA contests.

Much to their surprise, the paper won sweepstakes awards again in 1982 and 1983 in the class for semi-weeklies of less than 4,000 circulation. The Pioneer also won the West Texas Chamber of Commerce community service award in 1971.

Active in community affairs, Baker has served for several years as an elder in the First Presbyterian Church. He now teaches a young adult church school class and serves as church treasurer.

He is a past president of the Fort Stockton Jaycees and Rotary Club. He served as first vice president of the Fort Stockton Chamber of Commerce in 1977.

Baker has worked in Boy Scouting for many years after having been an Eagle Scout. He was presented the Silver Beaver award in 1981. His son, Kelly, is also an Eagle Scout.

The Bakers are the parents of three adult children. Their daughter, Susan, now Mrs. Mark McClelland, graduated from UT-Austin with a bachelor of journalism degree in 1981. She is

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now an executive staff member of the Texas Sesqui-Centennial Commission in Austin. Her husband is a computer systems analyst for IBM Corporation in Austin. The Baker's son, Kelly graduated with highest

honors from UT in May of this year with a bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering. He will begin work on his masters degree this fall at Stanford University in Palo Alto, California. But he will first spend two months this summer in

Africa as a missionary for the Campus Crusade for Christ.

The Baker's younger daughter Kathy, is a junior at West Texas State University in Canyon. She is a double major in the music department of WTSU, in both piano and oboe.



Last week's winner in the Magic Money game at Hershel's Foodway performed the honors of drawing Bea Artiga's winning ticket Saturday in the contest.

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PARKING (Cont. from page 1)

period in order to acquaint themselves with the parking changes, but then his department would begin handing out citations for illegal parking.

Merchants in the downtown area have expressed concern over the new parking designations. A group of those businessmen is scheduled to appear at the next meeting of the Sonora City Council to voice their complaints.

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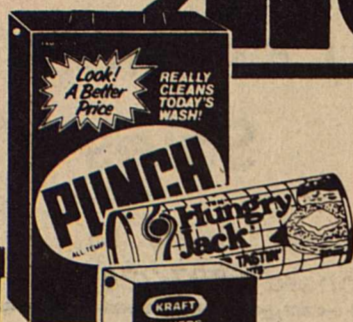


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